



## Office of Head Start - Head Start Services Snapshot

### NATIONAL (2011-2012)

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This National Head Start Services Snapshot summarizes key data on demographics and services for preschool-age children served by Head Start programs. The data in this Snapshot is a subset of the annual Program Information Report (PIR) submission to the Office of Head Start.

### Funded Enrollment

Number of enrollment slots the program is funded to serve.

	<i># of funded enrollment slots</i>	<i>% of funded enrollment slots</i>
Total Funded Enrollment	821,852	100.0%

### Funded Enrollment by Program Option

	<i># of funded enrollment slots</i>	<i>% of funded enrollment slots</i>
Center-based	787,864	95.9%
Home-based	19,902	2.4%
Combination	7,887	1.0%
Family Child Care	1,799	0.2%
Locally Designed	4,400	0.5%

### Detail - Center-based Funded Enrollment

	<i># of center-based funded enrollment slots</i>	<i>% of center-based funded enrollment slots</i>
Center-based Part Day (4 days per week)	216,517	27.5%
Center-based Full Day (4 days per week, >6 hours per day)	27,848	3.5%
Center-based Part Day (5 days per week)	177,262	22.5%
Center-based Full Day (5 days per week, >6 hours per day)	366,237	46.5%
Of the funded enrollment slots in the line above, the number available for a full-working-day (not less than 10 hours per day)	117,376	
Of the funded enrollment slots in the line above, the number also available for a full-calendar-year	48,805	

### Total Cumulative Enrollment

Actual number of children and pregnant women served by the program throughout the entire program year, inclusive of enrollees who left during the program year and the enrollees who filled those empty places. Due to turnover, more children and families may receive Head Start services cumulatively throughout the program year (all of whom are reported in the PIR) than indicated by the funded enrollment numbers.

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
Total Cumulative Enrollment	946,011	100.0%

## Participants By Age

Children's ages for this program year are reported as of the date used by the local school system in determining eligibility for public school.

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
2 Year Old	14,232	1.5%
3 Year Old	374,944	39.6%
4 Year Old	540,787	57.2%
5 Year Old	16,021	1.7%

## Homelessness Services

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Total number of children experiencing homelessness that were served during the enrollment year	40,648	4.3%

## Foster Care

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Total number of enrolled children who were in foster care at any point in the program year	15,617	1.7%

## Prior Enrollment of Children

Children who were enrolled previously in Early Head Start, Head Start, or some combination for at least half of the time that classes or home visits were in session.

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Second Year	266,237	28.1%
Three (or more) Years	29,604	3.1%

## Ethnicity

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
Hispanic or Latino Origin	334,901	35.4%
Non-Hispanic or Non-Latino Origin	611,085	64.6%

## Race

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
American Indian or Alaska Native	36,047	3.8%
Asian	17,910	1.9%
Black or African American	288,392	30.5%
Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	6,382	0.7%
White	379,795	40.1%
Biracial or Multi-Racial	80,659	8.5%
Other Race	97,712	10.3%
Unspecified Race	39,114	4.1%

## Primary Language of Family at Home

	<i># of participants</i>	<i>% of participants</i>
English	679,813	71.9%
Spanish	223,279	23.6%
Central American, South American, or Mexican Languages	1,465	0.2%
Caribbean Languages	3,232	0.3%
Middle Eastern or South Asian Languages	8,205	0.9%
East Asian Languages	9,860	1.0%
Native North American or Alaska Native Languages	770	0.08%
Pacific Island Languages	2,929	0.3%
European or Slavic Languages	5,626	0.6%
African Languages	5,551	0.6%
Other Languages	1,242	0.1%
Unspecified Languages	4,039	0.4%

## Health Services

<i>Services to All Children at Beginning of Enrollment Year Compared to End of Enrollment Year (based on Cumulative Enrollment)</i>	<i># at Beginning of Enrollment Year</i>	<i>% at Beginning of Enrollment Year</i>	<i># at End of Enrollment Year</i>	<i>% at End of Enrollment Year</i>
Children with health insurance	882,131	93.2%	913,264	96.5%
Children with a medical home	875,629	92.6%	917,878	97.0%
Children with up-to-date immunizations or all possible immunizations to date, or exempt	811,485	85.8%	873,735	92.4%
Children with a dental home	772,607	81.7%	884,994	93.6%

## Disabilities Services

	<i># of children</i>	<i>% of children</i>
Children with an Individualized Education Program (IEP), indicating they were determined eligible to receive special education and related services	115,112	12.2%

## Family Services

	<i># of families</i>	<i>% of families</i>
Total Number of Families	884,128	100.0%
Families Who Received at Least One Family Service	666,918	75.4%

## Specific Services

	<i># of families</i>	<i>% of families</i>
Emergency or Crisis Intervention	180,820	20.5%
Housing Assistance	106,137	12.0%
Mental Health Services	114,579	13.0%
English as a Second Language (ESL) Training	59,591	6.7%
Adult Education	129,919	14.7%
Job Training	94,363	10.7%
Substance Abuse Prevention	62,685	7.1%
Substance Abuse Treatment	18,459	2.1%
Child Abuse and Neglect Services	109,791	12.4%
Domestic Violence Services	54,942	6.2%
Child Support Assistance	36,225	4.1%
Health Education	408,664	46.2%
Assistance to Families of Incarcerated Individuals	13,274	1.5%
Parenting Education	438,275	49.6%
Relationship or Marriage Education	39,450	4.5%